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TACOM, DLA partner to save money on HMMWV rebuilding

TACOM Life Cycle Management Command, Mich., and the Defense Logistics Agency have partnered to create Customer Pay. CP pays contractors and suppliers at the point of delivery, reducing the need for millions of dollars of Army inventory and lowering prices for spare parts.

CP has been implemented in the rebuilding of HMMWVs at Letterkenny Army Depot, Pa., and Red River Army Depot, Texas. Thanks to CP, the rate of incomplete vehicles dropped by 83 percent at RRAD and by 100 percent at Letterkenny, almost \$820,000 was saved in reduced depot supply chain manpower expenses in just over three months, and both spare parts costs and the total cost of refurbishing the vehicle were reduced. For the full story, visit <http://www.defenselink.mil/News/NewsArticle.aspx?ID=2054>.

Pine Bluff Munitions Assessment System completes operations

Pine Bluff Arsenal, Ark., reached a significant milestone recently when it completed operations with the Pine Bluff Munitions Assessment System. PBMAS operations began in April 2004 with the assessment of more than 5,800 chemical agent identification set items. In July 2005, operations shifted to the assessment of recovered munitions and approximately 1,250 munitions were safely assessed. For the full story, visit <http://www.cma.army.mil/docviewerframe.aspx?docid=003676193>.

AMC awards AT&T \$64.1 million contract to support Enterprise Integration

Army Materiel Command recently awarded AT&T Government Solutions a \$64.1 million five-year contract to support AMC's Enterprise Integration Directorate. Under the contract, AT&T will develop two systems to improve the Army's finance processes, Funds Control and Exchange Pricing, and provide professional services related to logistics transformation and Army modernization.

The EI Directorate supports operations in Germany, Kuwait, Hawaii and South Korea and is responsible for the Single Stock Fund. For the full story, visit <http://att.sbc.com/gen/press-room?pid=4800&cdvn=news&newsarticleid=23031>.

AMCOM's APSL renews ISO 9001:2000 registration

The Aviation and Missile Life Cycle Management Command's Army Primary Standards Laboratory, Redstone Arsenal, Ala., has successfully renewed its registration to the ISO 9001:2000 quality standard for the fourth time since 1998. The lab is the only DoD metrology laboratory registered to this standard.

Spotlight On ... Letterkenny's Patriot Missile System radar test center

The Patriot Missile System is an air defense system that greatly increases the Army's lethality on the battlefield by detecting, targeting and hitting advanced threats such as incoming missiles and aircraft. Letterkenny Army Depot, Pa., has a special facility to test and repair Patriot Radars. To learn more about the test center, view the Oct. 25 edition of the AMC News Dispatch at <http://www.amc.army.mil/amc/pa/dispatch/dispatch.html>.

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